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In re application of: Hans-Detlef Groeger et al.

Confirmation No.: 9081

Serial No.: 09/807,522

GROUP ART UNIT: 2111

Filed: April 12, 2001

EXAMINER: R. N. Phan

For: ELECTRONIC CONTROL DEVICE WITH A PARALLEL DATABUS AND A METHOD  
FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CONTROL DEVICE

**AMENDMENT "C" AFTER FINAL**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*13	MINUS	**20	0	(X) X 9.00 ( ) X 18.00	\$
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 5	MINUS	3	2	( ) X 44.00 (X) X 88.00	176.00
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for.				( ) YES ( ) NO	( ) \$150.00 ( ) \$300.00 ONE TIME	\$ .00
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT		\$176.00

\* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

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☒ A check in the amount of \$ \$176.00 is attached

☐ A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ accompanying IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(c) is attached

☐ A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ and Petition for Consideration of IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(d) is attached.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 501519. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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APPLICANT: Hans-Detlef GROEGER et al. GROUP ART UNIT: 2111  
SERIAL NO.: 09/807,522 EXAMINER: Raymond N. PHAN  
FILING DATE: April 12, 2001 CONFIRMATION NO.: 9081  
INVENTION: "ELECTRONIC CONTROL DEVICE WITH A PARALLEL  
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SIR:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 24, 2004, amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.

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